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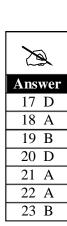
- 1. The poem 'The Patriot' is written by [সহকারী থানা শিক্ষা অফিসার ২০১২]
- (a) Alfred Tennyson
- (b) Robert Browning
- (c) Mathew Arnold
- (d) John Donne
- 2. Who wrote 'The Tempest'? [সহকারী থানা শিক্ষা অফিসার ২০১২]
- (a) William Wordsworth
- (b) Ben Jonson
- (c) William Shakespeare
- (d) Tennyson
- 3. Which book is a Tragedy? [সহকারী থানা শিক্ষা অফিসার ২০১২]
- (a) Hamlet
- (b) Measure for Measure
- (c) As you like it
- (d) She stoops to conquer
- 4. The 'Merchant of Venice' Written by Shakespeare is [সহকারী থানা শিক্ষা অফিসার ২০১২]
- (a) A novel
- (b) a short story
- (c) a poem
- (d) a drama
- 5. 'Faerie Queen' is a সহকারী থানা শিক্ষা অফিসার ২০১২]
- (a) play
- (b) short story
- (c) an epic
- (d) novel
- 6. Who among the following is a revolutionary poet? [বহিরাগমন ও পাসপোর্ট অধিদপ্তরের সহকারী পরিচালক নিয়োগ ২০১৪]
- (a) John Keats
- (b) P.B. Shelly
- (c) S.T. Coleridge
- (d) William Wordsworth
- 7. Great Expectations is a novel written by- [বহিরাগমন ও পাসপোর্ট অধিদপ্তরের সহকারী পরিচালক নিয়োগ ২০১৪]
- (a) Charles Dickens
- (b) Thomas Hardy
- (c) Jane Austen
- (d) Henry Fielding
- 8. Paradise Lost is [বহিরাগমন ও পাসপোর্ট অধিদপ্তরের সহকারী পরিচালক নিয়োগ ২০১৪]
- (a) an epic



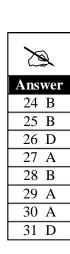
- (b) a satirical work
- (c) a tragedy
- (d) a ballad
- 9. Who wrote 'Madame Bovary'?
- (a) Leo Tolstoy
- (b) James Joyce
- (c) E.M. Forster
- (d) Gustave Flaubert
- 10. The poem 'Isle of Innisfree' is written by [৩৫তম বিসিএস]
- (a) Dylan Thomas
- (b) W.H Auden
- (c) Ezra Pound
- (d) W.B. Yeats
- 11. Othello is a Shakespeare's play about [৩৫তম বিসিএস]
- (a) A Jew
- (b) A Turk
- (c) A Roman
- (d) A Moor
- 12. The play Arms and the Man is by [৩৫তম বিসিএস]
- (a) James Joyce
- (b) Arthur Miller
- (c) Samuel Beckett
- (d) George Bernard Shaw
- 13. 'The Lord of the Rings' is written by -
- (a) Rudyard Kipling
- (b) Ronald Reuel Tolkien
- (c) Hobbit
- (d) None
- 14. 'Tradition and the Individual Talent' is an essay by -
- (a) Thomas Hardy
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) Virginia Woolf
- (d) Thomas Carlyle
- 15. Who of the following is a playwright?
- (a) Dickens
- (b) Frost
- (c) W.B. Yeats
- (d) G.B. Shaw
- 16. 'To the Lighthouse' and 'A Room of one's Own' written by -



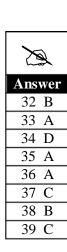
- (a) Virginia Woolf
- (b) Charlotte Bronte
- (c) J.M. Synage
- (d) None
- 17. Who is a modern author?
- (a) C. Marlow
- (b) Charles Dickens
- (c) Chaucer
- (d) Joseph Conrad
- 18. The poem 'Second Coming' is written by -
- (a) W.B. Yeats
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) Frost
- (d) Auden
- 19. 'April is the cruelest month' is written by -
- (a) W.B. Yeats
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) Frost
- (d) Auden
- 20. 'Caesar and Cleopatra' is written by-
- (a) Joseph Conrad
- (b) James Joyce
- (c) E.M. Forster
- (d) G.B. Shaw
- 21. 'Adela' is a character in the novel 'A Passage to India' written by-
- (a) E.M. Forster
- (b) William Golding
- (c) Joyce
- (d) Hardy
- 22. 'Man and Superman' and 'Arms and The Man' were written by-
- (a) G.B. Shaw
- (b) Somerset Maugham
- (c) William Golding
- (d) None
- 23. Who wrote 'The Waste Land'?
- (a) W.B. Yeats
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) E.M. Forster
- (d) H.G. Wells



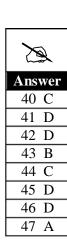
- 24. Who wrote 'Heart of Darkness'? ii
- (a) Thomas Hardy
- (b) Joseph Conrad
- (c) Bill Gates
- (d) None
- 25. Who wrote 'Where Angels Fear to Tread'?
- (a) Charles Dickens
- (b) E. M. Forster
- (c) Rudyard Kipling
- (d) William Shakespeare
- 26. 'Lady Chatterley's Lover' and 'The Rainbow' written by-
- (a) Virginia Woolf
- (b) Robert Frost
- (c) Thomas Moore
- (d) D.H. Lawrence
- 27. 'Of Human Bondage' is written by -
- (a) Somerset Maugham
- (b) James Joyce
- (c) W.B. Yeats
- (d) Philip Sydney
- 28. James Joyce's famous novel iii
- (a) Roots
- (b) Ulysses
- (c) Tom Jones
- (d) Rebecca
- 29. 'Mending Wall' and 'Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening' are two poems written by -
- (a) Robert Frost
- (b) Walt Whitman
- (c) Emily Dickinson
- (d) None
- 30. Nathaniel Hawthorne is the writer of -
- (a) The Scarlet Letter
- (b) A Farewell to Arms
- (c) Great Expectation
- (d) none
- 31. Who is an American author?
- (a) R.W. Emerson
- (b) H.D. Thoreau
- (c) Henry W. Longfellow
- (d) All



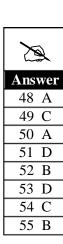
- 32. "To be, or not to be, that is the question" Where do you find this quotation?
- (a) Macbeth
- (b) Hamlet
- (c) As You like It
- (d) Othello
- 33. 'The Road not Taken' is a famous poem of -
- (a) Robert Frost
- (b) Walt Whitman
- (c) Emily Dickinson
- (d) None
- 34. 'Leaves of Grass' is written by-
- (a) Shelley
- (b) Long Fellow
- (c) Frost
- (d) Whitman
- 35. The period from 1649-1660 is known as-
- (a) Commonwealth period
- (b) Jacobean period
- (c) Caroline period
- (d) Restoration period
- 36. Which poem is written by Walt Whitman?
- a) Song of myself
- b) Song of Innocence
- c) Song of Experience
- d) none of these
- 37. Who wrote 'The Bluest Eyes'?
- (a) Arthur Miller
- (b) Saul Bellow
- (c) Tony Morrison
- (d) None
- 38. Who is the author of 'Seize the Day'?
- (a) Arthur Miller
- (b) Saul Bellow
- (c) Tony Morrison
- (d) None
- 39. 'The Sun Also Rises' and 'For Whom the Bell Tolls' These two novels were written by -
- (a) O'Henry
- (b) Arthur Miller
- (c) Earnest Hemingway



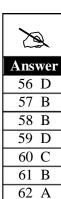
- (d) John Osborn
- 40. 'Huckleberry Finn' is a novel written by -
- (a) Robert Frost
- (b) Emily Dickinson
- (c) Mark Twain
- (d) Walt Whitman
- 41. 'O Captain! My Captain!' is a poem written by -
- (a) Robert Frost
- (b) Emily Dickinson
- (c) Mark Twain
- (d) Walt Whitman
- 42. 'Lycidas' is written by [সহকারী পরিচালক (মাদকদ্রব্য নিয়ন্ত্রণ অধিদপ্তর) ১৯৯৯]
- (a) Alexander Pope
- (b) Henry Fielding
- (c) Thomas Hardy
- (d) John Milton
- 43. 'Love and Friendship' is written by -
- (a) Francis Bacon
- (b) Jane Austen
- (c) Jonathan Swift
- (d) None
- 44. Who wrote 'Sense and Sensibility'?
- (a) Emily Dickinson
- (b) Virginia Woolf
- (c) Jane Austen
- (d) None
- 45. 'Samson Agonists' is written by -
- (a) A. Pope
- (b) Henry Fielding
- (c) Thomas Hardy
- (d) John Milton
- 46. Who wrote the book 'Ivan Hoe'?
- (a) O'Henry
- (b) L. Stevenson
- (c) Hemingway
- (d) Sir Walter Scott
- 47. 'Essay on Criticism' is written by -
- (a) Alexander Pope
- (b) T.S. Eliot



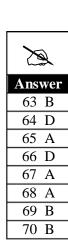
- (c) Jonathan Swift
- (d) H. Fielding
- 48. 'Childe Harold's Pilgrimage' written by-
- (a) Byron
- (b) G.B. Shaw
- (c) John Buniyan
- (d) T.S. Eliot
- 49. 'The Revolt of Islam' is a work by-
- (a) Byron
- (b) Salman Rushdie
- (c) Shelley
- (d) G.B. Shaw
- 50. 'Prometheus Unbound' is a lyrical drama by-
- (a) Shelley
- (b) Shakespeare
- (c) Sophocles
- (d) Euripedes
- 51. Who wrote 'Don Juan'?
- (a) Words worth
- (b) Keats
- (c) Shelley
- (d) Byron
- 52. 'Biographia Literaria' Written by-
- (a) Wordsworth
- (b) Coleridge
- (c) Keats
- (d) Shelley
- 53. 'Oedipus Rex' is written by -
- (a) Socrates
- (b) Shakespeare
- (c) Aristotle
- (d) Sophocles
- 54. Who wrote 'The Nun's Priest's Tale'?
- (a) Shelley
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) Chaucer
- (d) Donne
- 55. 'Troilus and Criseyde' is written by -
- (a) Shakespeare



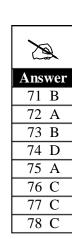
- (b) Chaucer
- (c) Marlowe
- (d) Congreve
- 56. 'The Silent Woman' is a play by [সহকারী পরিচালক (তথ্য মন্ত্রণালয়) ২০০৩]
- (a) G.B. Shaw
- (b) Shakespeare
- (c) Marlowe
- (d) Ben Johnson
- 57. 'Tamburlaine the Great' is written by -
- (a) Shakespeare
- (b) Marlowe
- (c) Ben Johnson
- (d) John Webster
- 58. How many types of epic are there?
- (a) 1
- (b) 2
- (c) 3
- (d) 4
- 59. 'Orlando' is a character of Shakespeare's -
- (a) Hamlet
- (b) King Lear
- (c) Tempest
- (d) As You Like It
- 60. Samuel Beckett was iv
- (a) An English dramatist
- (b) A Russian dramatist
- (c) A French dramatist
- (d) A Spanish dramatist
- 61. Who is famous for his 'drama of ideas'?
- (a) William Shakespeare
- (b) Henrik Ibsen
- (c) Oscar Wilde
- (d) T.S. Eliot
- 62. 'Tess of the D'Urbervilles' is a novel written by -
- (a) Thomas Hardy
- (b) John Stuart Mill
- (c) Charles Dickens
- (d) Emily Bronte



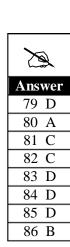
- 63. Who is known as an anti-romantic novelist in the Romantic Age?
- (a) Charles Lamb
- (b) Jane Austen
- (c) William Hazlitt
- (d) Oliver Goldsmith
- 64. 'Paradise Lost' attempts to [১৪তম বিসিএস]
- (a) Justify the ways of man to God
- (b) Show that the Satan and God have equal power
- (c) Explain why good and evil are necessary
- (d) Justify the ways of God to man
- 65. Who was 'Poet Laureate'?
- (a) Alfred Tennyson
- (b) Robert Browning
- (c) P. B. Shelley
- (d) none of them
- 66. 'O Lady! We receive but what we give'- has been quoted from
- (a) Kubla khan
- (b) Don Juan
- (c) Tithonus
- (d) Dejection: An Ode
- 67. The period from 1649-1660 is known as -
- (a) Commonwealth period
- (b) Jacobean period
- (c) Caroline period
- (d) Restoration period
- 68. Which poem is written by Walt Whitman?
- (a) Song of myself
- (b) Song of Innocence
- (c) Song of Experience
- (d) none of these
- 69. Who is the writer of 'The End of History and The Last Man'?
- (a) Samuel Huntington
- (b) Francis Fukuyama
- (c) Robert Frost
- (d) David Lynn
- 70. Who wrote 'Ulysses'? [সহকারী পরিচালক (তথ্য মন্ত্রণালয়) ২০০৩]
- (a) Thomas Moore
- (b) Alfred Tennyson
- (c) R.L. Stevenson
- (d) S.T. Coleridge



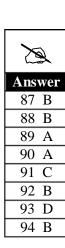
- 71. 'Vanity Fair' is a novel by -
- (a) Dickens
- (b) Thackeray
- (c) Scott
- (d) Fielding
- 72. Who is the author of 'The Old Man and the Sea'?
- (a) E. Hemingway
- (b) Churchill
- (c) Wilson
- (d) Hardy
- 73. 'A Farewell to Arms' is novel by -
- (a) Thomas Hardy
- (b) Ernest Hemingway
- (c) Jane Austen
- (d) Scott
- 74. Who wrote 'Crime and Punishment'?
- (a) Shelley
- (b) Tolstoy
- (c) Byron
- (d) Dostoyevsky
- 75. 'A Passage to India' is written by -
- (a) E.M. Forster
- (b) Sadat Hasan Mintu
- (c) Gallsworth
- (d) Rudyard Kipling
- 76. 'Paradise Lost' and 'Paradise Regained' are written by [সাব-রেজিস্ট্রার পদে পরীক্ষা ২০১২]
- (a) P.B. Shelley
- (b) John Keats
- (c) John Milton
- (d) William Blake
- 77. Who is the author of the novel 'The Sun Also Rises'?
- (a) H.G. Wells
- (b) George Orwell
- (c) Ernest Hemingway
- (d) Thomas Hardy
- 78. 'The Rainbow' is -
- (a) A poem by Wordsworth
- (b) a short story by Somerset Maugham
- (c) a novel by D.H. Lawrence
- (d) a verse by Coleridge



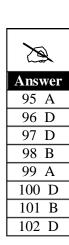
- 79. Who wrote the 'Odyssey and Iliad'?
- (a) Milton
- (b) Hoffman
- (c) Vergil
- (d) Homer
- 80. Which one of the following is a comedy?
- (a) All's Well that Ends Well
- (b) Hamlet
- (c) Timon of Athens
- (d) Antony and Cleopatra
- 81. Of the following who is the most translated author of the world?
- (a) Leo Tolstoy
- (b) Agatha Cristie
- (c) V.I. Lenin
- (d) Mao Tse Tung
- 82. Who is the author of 'The Affluent Society'?
- (a) H.G. Wells
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) J.K. Galbrath
- (d) David Hume
- 83. Who is not a novelist of Victorian age mentioned below?
- (a) Charles Dickens
- (b) George Eliot
- (c) Thomas Hardy
- (d) James Joyce
- 84. Which one is the shortest dramatic work?
- (a) Not
- (b) Footballs
- (c) Radio
- (d) Breath
- 85. A.S. Hornsby is famous for -
- (a) Writing poems
- (b) writing songs
- (c) writing text books
- (d) writing dictionaries
- 86. Who is well known for his translation of 'Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam' into English?
- (a) Rose Macaulay
- (b) Edward Fitzgerald
- (c) George Bernard Shaw



- (d) D.H. Lawrence
- 87. O'Henry is famous for -
- (a) Drama
- (b) short story
- (c) novel
- (d) poem
- 88. Goethe is the greatest poet of -
- (a) Russia
- (b) Germany
- (c) England
- (d) France
- 89. Who wrote the book 'Cancer Ward'?
- (a) Alexander Solzhenitsyn
- (b) Boris Pasternak
- (c) Leo Tolstoy
- (d) Alexander Pope
- 90. A famous short story of Maupassant is -
- (a) The Diamond Necklace
- (b) Gift of the Magi
- (c) Tropic of Cancer
- (d) The Prince
- 91. Who is the author of 'The Picture of Dorian Gray'?
- (a) Aldous Huxley
- (b) Boris Pasternauk
- (c) Oscar Wilde
- (d) Fitzerald
- 92. What type of book 'The Woman' is -
- (a) Drama
- (b) Novel
- (c) Story
- (d) Essay
- 93. 'Calliban' is a character in -
- (a) King Lear
- (b) Othello
- (c) Man and Superman
- (d) Tempest
- 94. Who was the only Laureate to refuse the Nobel Prize?
- (a) Leo Tolstoy
- (b) Jea- Paul Sartre



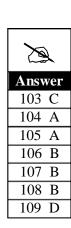
- (c) T.S. Eliot
- 95. Famous Irish poet and dramatist is -
- (a) W.B. Yeats
- (b) L. Tolstoy
- (c) A. Pope
- (d) H.G. Wells
- 96. Who is the modern philosopher who was rewarded Nobel Prize for literature?
- (a) Baker
- (b) Kissinger
- (c) Lenin
- (d) B. Russell
- 97. Who is the author of 'India Wins Freedom'?
- (a) Ghandhi
- (b) Nehru
- (c) Jinnah
- (d) Abul Kalam Azad
- 98. 'Murder in the Cathedral' is written by -
- (a) Harold Pinter
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) G.B. Shaw
- (d) Samuel Beckett
- 99. Who is the author of the drama 'You never can tell'?
- (a) G.B. Shaw
- (b) Ben Jonson
- (c) Shakespeare
- (d) Christopher Marlowe
- 100. Who is the author of 'Arabian Nights'?
- (a) Sir Richard Burton
- (b) Alexander Pope
- (c) Smith
- (d) None of them
- 101. Who wrote the book 'Lord Jim: A Tale?
- (a) Oscar Wilde
- (b) Joseph Conrad
- (c) Thomas Hardy
- (d) Rudyard Kipling
- 102. Tennyson wrote [থানা শিক্ষা অফিসার নিয়োগ ১৯৯৯]
- (a) Dover Beach
- (b) My last Duchess



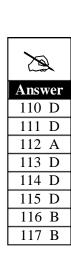
- (c) The Eve of St. Agnes
- (d) The Lotus Eaters
- 103. Who is famous for the theory of 'Objective Co-relative'?
- (a) E.M. Forster
- (b) Somerset Maugham
- (c) T.S. Eliot
- (d) Woolf
- 104. When did T. S. Eliot win noble prize?
- (a) 1948
- (b) 1923
- (c) 1953
- (d) 1935
- 105. Which one of the following is the first long poem in English?
- (a) Beowulf
- (b) Dream of the Road
- (c) The Seafarer
- (d) The Wanderer
- 106. Who wrote 'The Spanish Tragedy'?
- (a) John Lyly
- (b) Thomas Kyd
- (c) Robert Green
- (d) Christopher Marlowe
- 107. 'The Sacred Flame' is written by
- (a) G.B. Shaw
- (b) William Somerset Maugham
- (c) Earnest Hemingway
- (d) Oscar Wilde
- 108. Who translated the Bible into English for the first time?
- (a) Nicolas Udall
- (b) John Wycliffe
- (c) Thomas Norton
- (d) Edmund Spenser
- 109. 'The Return of the Native' is written by [সহকারী পরিচালক (পাসপোর্ট অ্যান্ড

ইমিগ্রেশন) - ২০০৭]

- (a) Alexander Dumas
- (b) Aldous Huxley
- (c) Somerset Maugham
- (d) Thomas Hardy

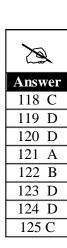


- 110. 'Brick Lane' is written by -
- (a) Virginia Woolf
- (b) George Eliot
- (c) Charles Dickens
- (d) Monica Ali
- 111. The Good Earth has been written by -
- (a) Virginia Woolf
- (b) George Eliot
- (c) Charles Dickens
- (d) Pearl S. Buck
- 112. 'War and Peace' an epic tale of Napoleonic invasion is written by -
- (a) Leo Tolstoy
- (b) George Bernard Shaw
- (c) Anne Frank
- (d) Earnest Hemingway
- 113. What was the first novel of Virginia Woolf?
- (a) The Waves
- (b) To the Light House
- (c) Jacob's Room
- (d) The Voyage out
- 114. The first English novel, Pamela, has been written by [উপপরিচালক (কর্মসংস্থান ও প্রশিক্ষণ ব্যুরো) ২০০৭]
- (a) Daniel Defoe
- (b) Henry Fielding
- (c) Sir Walter Scott
- (d) Samuel Richardson
- 115. Samuel Beckett's 'Waiting for Goddot' is a-
- (a) Morality play
- (b) Problem play
- (c) Miracle play
- (d) Absurd play
- 116. 'Satanic Verses' is written by -
- (a) R.K. Narayan
- (b) Salman Rushdie
- (c) Jhumpa Lahiri
- (d) Arundhuti Roy
- 117. 'Better to reign in hell than serve in heaven' has been quoted from-
- (a) Paradise Regained
- (b) Paradise Lost
- (c) Aeneid

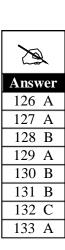


(d) None of these

- 118. 'Lady Chatterley's Lover' is written by the author of -
- (a) A passage to India
- (b) Lord Jim
- (c) Rainbow
- (d) Ulysses
- 119. Who was the eminent writer of the Restoration?
- a) John Milton
- b) John Dryden
- c) William Congreve
- d) All of them
- 120. What do you mean by Archaism?
- (a) modern mode of words
- (b) up-to-date words
- (c) literary words
- (d) obsolete words
- 121. What do you mean by Burlesque?
- (a) a satiric caricature of the characters
- (b) a drama
- (c) a satiric person
- (d) an allegorical statement
- 122. Doctor Zivago is written by -
- (a) Ana Pasternak
- (b) Boris Pasternak
- (c) Golding
- (d) Conrad
- 123. What do you mean by Lampoon?
- (a) An exaggerated statement
- (b) A short significant poem
- (c) The poet who writes sonnet
- (d) To mock some powerful person
- 124. What do you mean by the word Personnel?
- (a) individual
- (b) others
- (c) papers
- (d) government employee
- 125. What the term Couplet refers?
- (a) two successive lines
- (b) first four lines of a poem



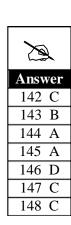
- (c) two successive rhyming lines
- (d) two lines without rhymes
- 126. Bathos refers v
- (a) ridiculous in writing or speech
- (b) a pathetic description
- (c) pathetic events
- (d) antiquity of style, manner or use
- 127. Romanticism is mainly connected with vi [সহকারী পরিচালক (যুব উন্নয়ন অধিদপ্তর) পরীক্ষা ১৯৯৯]
- (a) excitement and sensation
- (b) love and beauty
- (c) job and tiredness
- (d) expectation and depression
- 128. What is an Epic?
- (a) a short poem
- (b) a long narrative poem
- (c) a historical poem
- (d) a prose composition
- 129. What is a Fantasy?
- (a) An imaginary story
- (b) a funny animation film
- (c) a history record
- (d) a real life event
- 130. A person who writes about his own life writes -
- (a) A Chronicle
- (b) an Autobiographer
- (c) a diary
- (d) a Biography
- 131. What is meaning of the word Euphemism? vii
- (a) vague idea
- (b) inoffensive expression
- (c) a verbal play
- (d) a wise saying
- 132. What is the meaning Hymn?
- (a) song in praise of poet
- (b) a song in praise of country
- (c) song in praise of God
- (d) a mixture of two language
- 133. What the term Blank Verse refers -
- (a) having no rhyming end



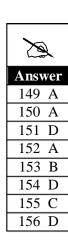
- (b) having no rhythmic flow
- (c) having no significance
- (d) having no blanks in the verse
- 134. Equivocation means -
- (a) two contrary things in same statement
- (b) equal opportunity
- (c) free expression of opinion
- (d) a true statement
- 135. What is Limerick?
- (a) a form of one act play
- (b) a kind of novel
- (c) a form of short story
- (d) a form of light verse
- 136. What do you mean by Canto?
- (a) a stanza of a long poem
- (b) a stanza of a short poem
- (c) a section or division of a long poem
- (d) a kind of sonnet
- 137. What is the meaning of the word Dirge?
- (a) a kind of sonnet sequence
- (b) a song expressing patriotism
- (c) a long verse about adventure
- (d) a song expressing grief, lamentation and mourning
- 138. What do you mean by Minstrel?
- (a) a romantic poet
- (b) a poet of minister
- (c) a budding poet
- (d) A medieval European poet
- 139. What do you mean Ode?
- (a) a lyric poem
- (b) a short poem
- (c) a ballad
- (d) a sonnet
- 140. What is an Effigy?
- (a) a poem
- (b) a sonnet
- (c) an image or dummy
- (d) a lamentation
- 141. What do you mean by Epitaph?



- (a) Inscription on tomb or monument
- (b) a sonnet of hero
- (c) a ballad of folk hero
- (d) a poem of lamentation
- 142. What do you mean by Epilogue?
- (a) a poem comes at beginning
- (b) a poem of lamentation
- (c) a poem or speech at the end of a play
- (d) a figurative story
- 143. What do you mean by Satire?
- (a) an ironical writing
- (b) ridiculous writing against vices or follies
- (c) mixture of two languages
- (d) a regional epic
- 144. What the term Aesthetic refers -
- (a) appreciation for beauty
- (b) appreciation for poem
- (c) reverence for old
- (d) reverence for poems
- 145. What do you mean by Panegyric or Eulogy? vili
- (a) a writing of praising distinguished persons
- (b) a kind of satire
- (c) A short lyric poem
- (d) a poem of praising Gods
- 146. What do you mean by Parody?
- (a) imitation of the great man
- (b) following the rules
- (c) a short prose
- (d) imitation of a poem or a writing
- 147. What the term Allusion refers -
- (a) reference from any person
- (b) obeyed the old men
- (c) reference of past events or persons
- (d) writing in satire
- 148. What is a Character?
- (a) a poet of writing
- (b) a joker of the writing
- (c) any person in a literary work
- (d) a famous man in play

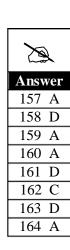


- 149. What do you mean by a Ballad?
- (a) a kind of short narrative poem
- (b) a poem of patriotism
- (c) a poem of love affairs
- (d) a kind of condoling poem
- 150. What do you mean Philology?
- (a) Study of Language
- (b) science of medicine
- (c) science of surgery
- (d) science of speech sounds
- 151. What do you mean by Climax?
- (a) a peak of mountain
- (b) a disaster of sea
- (c) a kind of poem
- (d) the moment of highest interest in a play
- 152. What do you mean by Diction?
- (a) choice of words for writing
- (b) choice of characters
- (c) choice of rhythms
- (d) choice of simile and metaphor
- 153. What do you mean by a Play or Drama?
- (a) a literary lyric
- (b) a literary work performing on a stage
- (c) a literary prose fiction on stage
- (d) a poem to the alter of God
- 154. What do you mean by Fable?
- (a) a story of high thoughts
- (b) a story about great men
- (c) a general story
- (d) a short story of animals for moral lesson
- 155. What is the term Fiction?
- (a) a poem
- (b) a prose
- (c) an imaginative writing
- (d) a story
- 156. What is a Miracle Play?
- (a) a play of tragedy
- (b) a play of comedy
- (c) a play in fiction
- (d) a supernatural religious drama

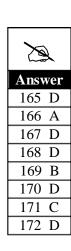


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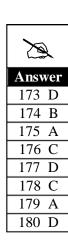
- 157. What is a Myth?
- (a) a fictitious or imaginative story
- (b) a legend of hero
- (c) a short narrative poem
- (d) a long narrative poem
- 158. What do you mean by Pathos or Catharsis? ix
- (a) a sorrowful event
- (b) a murder in a tragedy
- (c) an adventure of hero
- (d) arouse of pity and fear
- 159. What is Novella? *
- (a) a short story of drama
- (b) a short narrative poem
- (c) a short narrative fictional prose
- (d) an essay of satire
- 160. What the term Objectivity refers?
- (a) Impersonal expression in literary works
- (b) individual
- (c) personal expression in works
- (d) disinterested person
- 161. What the term Oxymoron refers?
- (a) two same ideas are combined
- (b) self-contradictory ideas
- (c) two language
- (d) two contradictory ideas express one thing
- 162. Pastoral Poem refers a poem about....life.
- (a) human
- (b) poet's
- (c) shepherd or rural
- (d) personal
- 163. What do you mean by Plot?
- (a) a drama of comedy
- (b) a disposal of characters
- (c) a short novel
- (d) arrangement of incidents in a writing
- 164. What the term Renaissance refers?
- (a) revival or rebirth
- (b) representation
- (c) presentation
- (d) rebel



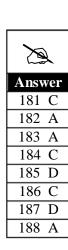
- 165. What do you mean by Protagonist?
- (a) the character against main character i.e. Antagonist
- (b) the villain of drama
- (c) the minor character
- (d) the main character in a literary work
- 166. What do you mean by Prose?
- (a) a writing without rhyme
- (b) a writing with rhyme
- (c) a writing of verse
- (d) a writing of rhythms
- 167. What do you mean by Quatrain?
- (a) a poem of fourteen lines
- (b) a stanza of fourteen lines
- (c) a stanza of six lines
- (d) a stanza of four lines
- 168. A sub-division of a poem is called -
- (a) meter
- (b) foot
- (c) mythology
- (d) none of these
- 169. Simile is the direct comparison between two -
- (a) similar things
- (b) dissimilar things
- (c) elaborate comparison
- (d) contradictory things
- 170. What the term Comedy refers?
- (a) a play ends unhappily
- (b) a play ends with murder
- (c) a play ends tragedy
- (d) a play ends happily
- 171. What do you mean by Synecdoche?
- (a) a figurative story
- (b) a story by animal characters
- (c) a figure of speech stands for whole thing
- (d) none
- 172. Dramatic Monologue stands for -
- (a) comparison between dissimilar things
- (b) a kind of fable
- (c) single
- (d) single speaker speak but audience remain silent



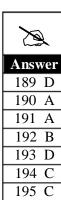
- 173. What the term Short Story stands for?
- (a) a long prose fiction
- (b) a story of figurative language
- (c) a story of many characters
- (d) a short prose fiction
- 174. What do you mean by Novel?
- (a) short prose
- (b) a long fictional prose with many characters
- (c) a short narrative prose
- (d) a literary work on the stage
- 175. What do you mean by Phonetics?
- (a) study of speech sounds
- (b) study of language and rules
- (c) study of insects
- (d) study of meaning and syntax
- 176. What do you mean by Syntax?
- (a) study of speech sounds
- (b) study of meaning of words
- (c) study of constructing sentence
- (d) constructing passage
- 177. The another name of Revenge tragedy or producer is -
- (a) Sophocles
- (b) Euripides
- (c) Homer
- (d) Senecan tragedy
- 178. What do you mean by Prologue?
- (a) the last part of any drama
- (b) the first chapter of play
- (c) the preface or introduction of any writing
- (d) surface
- 179. What do you mean by Romance?
- (a) any work of fiction or imagination
- (b) a real life story
- (c) any work of literature
- (d) a play or a drama
- 180. What do you mean by Irony?
- (a) a satiric imitation
- (b) a burlesque imitation
- (c) a kind of parody
- (d) difference between reality and appearance



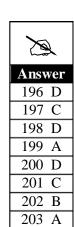
- 181. What the term Mock Epic refers? xi
- (a) a satiric writing of drama
- (b) a long narrative poem
- (c) a literary work comically imitates the style of epic
- (d) none
- 182. What do you mean by Linguistics?
- (a) study of languages and its rules
- (b) study of sounds
- (c) study of speech sounds
- (d) study of meaning
- 183. What do you mean by Imagery?
- (a) language perceived through senses
- (b) jargoned writing
- (c) language of literature
- (d) drawing pictures
- 184. What do you mean by Plagiarism?
- (a) a story builder
- (b) a short story
- (c) a literary theft
- (d) a criticism of literature
- 185. What is Quinzaine? xii
- (a) a fourteen line stanza
- (b) a twenty line stanza
- (c) a thirteen line stanza
- (d) a fifteen line stanza
- 186. What do you mean by Deus ex Machina? xiii
- (a) process of analyzing literature
- (b) literary theft
- (c) process of solving problem abruptly
- (d) choice of words
- 187. What do you mean by Hyperbole? xiv
- (a) a long verse
- (b) a long narrative poem
- (c) an overriding view
- (d) an overstatement about something
- 188. What do you mean by Heroic Couplet? xv
- (a) a pair of rhyming iambic pentameter
- (b) a two line stanza
- (c) a poem of lamentation
- (d) a song for mourning



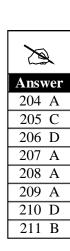
- 189. What do you mean by Romanticism?
- (a) movement of daily life affairs
- (b) movement for classics
- (c) movement of poem
- (d) movement for imagination over reason
- 190. What do you mean by Beast Fable?
- (a) a fictional story of animal characters
- (b) a short story
- (c) a long narrative prose
- (d) a soft style epic
- 191. Short Story differs from a Novel by the figures of -
- (a) Length and Characters
- (b) prose and fiction
- (c) verse and rhymes
- (d) rhythms and prosody
- 192. Objectivity stands for -
- (a) personal expression
- (b) impersonal expression
- (c) immature communication
- (d) matured notion
- 193. Prosody signifies the systematic study of -
- (a) drama
- (b) novel
- (c) short story
- (d) versification
- 194. Compatriot means
- (a) comrade
- (b) classmate
- (c) fellow country man
- (d) friend
- 195. The arrangement of events in the order of their occurrence is -
- (a) Chronometer
- (b) Chorology
- (c) Chronicle
- (d) Choreography



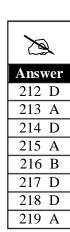
- 196. What do you mean by an Elegy?
- (a) a poem of happy ending
- (b) a poem of unhappy ending
- (c) a song of praising God
- (d) a song of Mourning the dead
- 197. What do you mean by Tragicomedy?
- (a) a kind of verse play
- (b) a play with unhappy ending
- (c) blending of tragic and comic elements
- (d) mixture of dramas
- 198. What is Epistolary Novel?
- (a) a novel of short length
- (b) a novel personal feelings
- (c) a Novella
- (d) a novel of correspondence among the characters
- 199. What the term Humor refers?
- (a) anything causes laughter
- (b) amazing
- (c) wonder
- (d) rapture
- 200. "Reading makes a full man, conference a ready man and writing an exact man." Who told it?
- (a) Shakespeare
- (b) Chaucer
- (c) Spenser
- (d) Bacon
- 201. Which of the following is an essayist?
- (a) Chaucer
- (b) John Wycliffe
- (c) Charles Lamb
- (d) Spenser
- 202. "Our sweetest songs are those that tell of saddest thoughts" is a quotation from -
- (a) Wordsworth
- (b) Shelly
- (c) John Keats
- (d) Blake
- 203. Dryden and Alexander Pope are.....poets.
- (a) Neo-classical
- (b) Elizabethan
- (c) Victorian
- (d) Modern



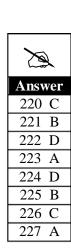
- 204. Who is known as the poet of Nature? [সহকারী পরিসংখ্যান অফিসার ১৯৯৮]
- (a) Wordsworth
- (b) Shelly
- (c) Keats
- (d) All of them
- 205. Who of the following was both a poet and painter? [১৫তম বিসিএস]
- (a) Wordsworth
- (b) Coleridge
- (c) Blake
- (d) Keats
- 206. Emile Zola is a famous -
- (a) English novelist
- (b) American Novelist
- (c) Irish novelist
- (d) French Novelist
- 207. O'Henry was known as -
- (a) American short story writer
- (b) British short story writer
- (c) Irish dramatist
- (d) Roman Short story writer
- 208. A famous Mock Epic poet in English Literature is -
- (a) Alexander Pope
- (b) Tennyson
- (c) Browning
- (d) Shelley
- 209. Arthur Clarke is known as -
- (a) a science fiction writer
- (b) a modern dramatist
- (c) a famous English Novelist
- (d) A short story writer
- 210. Bertrand Russell was a British -
- (a) novelist
- (b) essayist
- (c) poet
- (d) philosopher
- 211. Who is the most satirist in English Literature? [১২তম বিসিএস]
- (a) Alexander Pope
- (b) Jonathon swift
- (c) Dryden
- (d) Spenser



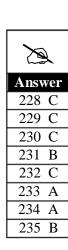
- 212. A famous essayist in Renaissance is -
- (a) Charles Lamb
- (b) Tomas Moore
- (c) Thomas Carlyle
- (d) John Wycliffe
- 213. A famous Playwright in Modern English Literature is -
- (a) Oscar Wild
- (b) Bacon
- (c) Lamb
- (d) T.S. Eliot
- 214. John Galsworthy is a.....dramatist.
- (a)Victorian
- (b) Elizabethan
- (c) Romantic
- (d) Modern
- 215. Which Century belongs to Victorian Period? [১৬তম বিসিএস]
- (a) 19th.
- (b) 20th
- (c) 17th
- (d) 18th
- 216. Who is the famous woman novelist in Victorian Age?
- (a) E.B. Browning
- (b) George Eliot
- (c) T.S Eliot
- (d) Austen
- 217. Which of the following is a 19th century woman novelist?
- (a) Emily Dickinson
- (b) Ezra Pound
- (c) Virginia Woolf
- (d) George Eliot
- 218. Alexander Dumas was a famous....novelist.
- (a) American
- (b) English
- (c) Irish
- (d) French
- 219. Karl Marx was born in -
- (a) Germany
- (b) India
- (c) Russia
- (d) England



- 220. The Poet Laureate is -
- (a) the best poet of the country
- (b) a winner of Noble Prize in Poetry
- (c) the court poet of England
- (d) a classical poet
- 221. The first English Dictionary was compiled by [১৫তম, ১৮তম ও ২৮তম বিসিএস]
- (a) Isaac Walton
- (b) Samuel Johnson
- (c) Samuel Butler
- (d) Sir Thomas Browne
- 222. Shakespeare is known mostly for his [১৬তম বিসিএস]
- (a) poetry
- (b) an autobiography
- (c) a diary
- (d) plays
- 223. What is the full name of the great American short story writer O'Henry?
- (a) William Sidney Porter
- (b) Walt Whitman
- (c) Marjorie Kennan Rowling
- (d) Samuel Butler
- 224. 'Hamlet' by Shakespeare is -
- (a) a comedy
- (b) a tragic comedy
- (c) an epic
- (d) a tragedy
- 225. Who is of the following both a poet and a novelist?
- (a) George Eliot
- (b) Thomas Hardy
- (c) Karl Mark
- (d) R. L. Stevenson
- 226. Which is the shortest period of English literature?
- (a) Romantic period
- (b) Victorian age
- (c) Restoration period
- (d) none of the above
- 227. Who was American poet?
- (a) Robert Frost
- (b) John Keats
- (c) John Milton
- (d) Robert Herrick



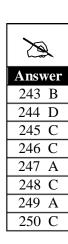
- 228. English poet addicted to Opium was -
- (a) Lord Byron
- (b) Charles Kingsley
- (c) S.T. Coleridge
- (d) P.B. Shelly
- 229. What does 'Canto' means?
- (a) a division of a play
- (b) an act of a play
- (c) a sub division of an epic
- (d) none of the above
- 230. What is 'Linguistics'?
- (a) the study of literature
- (b) the study of history
- (c) the scientific study of language
- (d) none of the above
- 231. What is 'Catastrophe'?
- (a) the comedic end of dramatic events
- (b) the tragic end of dramatic events
- (c) the comic and tragic end of the play
- (d) none of the above
- 232. 'Three score' means -
- (a) thirty times
- (b) three hundred times
- (c) three times twenty
- (d) more than three
- 233. What is 'Parable'?
- (a) an allegorical story usually containing a moral lesson
- (b) the basic unit of a composition
- (c) a sense of distress
- (d) none of the above
- 234. 'Melodrama' is a kind of play -
- (a) of violent and sensational themes
- (b) of pathetic themes
- (c) of historical themes
- (d) of philosophical themes
- 235. "A thing of beauty is a joy forever" occurs in -
- (a) Eliot's 'The waste land'
- (b) Keats's 'Endymion'
- (c) Shelly's 'The Cloud'
- (d) none of the above



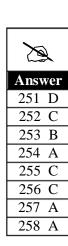
- 236. "Justice delayed is justice denied" was stated by -
- (a) Shakespeare
- (b) Emerson
- (c) Gladstone
- (d) Disraeli
- 237. "To err is human; to forgive is divine" is said by -
- (a) Alexander Pope
- (b) John Dryden
- (c) John Benson
- (d) None
- 238. "Our sweetest songs are those of the tale of...."
- (a) patriotic feeling
- (b) heroic tales
- (c) saddest thought
- (d) romantic love
- 239. "Mortality is a private and costly luxury" is said by -
- (a) Cowper
- (b) Henry Adams
- (c) John Milton
- (d) Blake
- 240. Which of the following poet was not awarded the Nobel Prize?
- (a) Eliot
- (b) Yeats
- (c) Rabindranath Tagore
- (d) Milton
- 241. In Shakespeare tragedy, the hero is -
- (a) an ordinary man
- (b) a high ranking man
- (c) a sacrilegious man
- (d) none of these
- 242. 'Couplet' can occur in -
- (a) short story
- (b) essay
- (c) poem
- (d) novel

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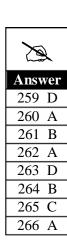
- 243. Who wrote 'The preface for Tagore's Gitanjali'?
- (a) T.S. Eliot
- (b) W.B. Yeats
- (c) Byron
- (d) Keats
- 244. Who got the Nobel Prize for literature in 2007?
- (a) Becket
- (b) Pinter
- (c) Stoppard
- (d) Lessing
- 245. Which of the following age in literary history is the latest?
- (a) The Augustan Period
- (b) The Victorian Age
- (c) The Georgian Age
- (d) The Restoration Age
- 246. Find the Odd one.
- (a) Treasure Island
- (b) The return of the Native
- (c) Das Capital
- (d) Adam Bede
- 247. Who is the author of the book 'Waste land'?
- (a) T.S. Eliot
- (b) Shelly
- (c) Earnest Hemingway
- (d) Charles Dickens
- 248. Which one is the correct form below?
- (a) Emma Goethe
- (b) Freedom Shakespeare
- (c) War and Peace Tolstoy
- (d) all the above
- 249. Who is the father of modern English Drama?
- (a) G.B. Shaw
- (b) John Milton
- (c) Shakespeare
- (d) Thomas Walt
- 250. Who is familiar as a poet of beauty?
- (a) Lord Byron
- (b) John Dryden
- (c) John Keats
- (d) None



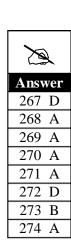
- 251. Who was not the famous poet of the age of Romanticism?
- (a) Coleridge
- (b) Byron
- (c) Shelley
- (d) Shakespeare
- 252. Who is the greatest modern English dramatist?
- (a) John Milton
- (b) Homer
- (c) G.B. Shaw
- (d) Eliot
- 253. What is literature?
- (a) writing about society
- (b) reflection of society
- (c) literary works
- (d) different customs
- 254. What the term Elegy refers?
- (a) a song of lamentation
- (b) a song of pleasure
- (c) a hymn
- (d) a praiseworthy song
- 255. What is paradox?
- (a) a self-pleasant statement
- (b) personal song
- (c) a self-contradictory statement
- (d) none
- 256. Whose real name was Mary Anne Evans?
- (a) Jane Austen
- (b) Charlotte Bronte
- (c) George Eliot
- (d) Joseph Conrad
- 257. 'Hold your tongue and let me love' is said by -
- (a) John Donne
- (b) Shakespeare
- (c) T. S. Eliot
- (d) Christopher Marlowe
- 258. What is verse?
- (a) lines of poem
- (b) a song of lamentation
- (c) a rhythmic measurement
- (d) pentameter



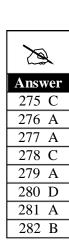
- 259. What is Iambic Pentameter? xvi
- (a) a six foot line verse
- (b) a three foot line verse
- (c) a four foot line verse
- (d) a five foot line verse
- 260. Which is the rhyme scheme of Shakespearean sonnet?
- (a) abab cdcd efef gg
- (b) abba cdcd efg efg
- (c) abab cde cde efg efg
- (d) abba cde cde e egg
- 261. What is soliloquy?
- (a) a speech to the audience
- (b) self speech
- (c) talk to others
- (d) expression of anger
- 262. Allusion refers the following -
- (a) a reference of past person or thing
- (b) false
- (c) doubtful speech
- (d) historical documents
- 263. "I wandered lonely as a cloud" is an example of -
- a) Metaphor
- b) Epigram
- c) Satire
- d) Simile
- 264. Which poet emphasized on rustic language in Poetry?
- (a) John Keats
- (b) William Wordsworth
- (c) William Blake
- (d) Thomas Gray
- 265. The full name of W.B. Yeats is -
- (a) Winstern Barret Yeats
- (b) William Bill Yeats
- (c) William Butler Yeats
- (d) William Bernard Yeats
- 266. Short story is not....than story.
- (a) shorter
- (b) longer
- (c) smaller
- (d) huger



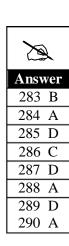
- 267. The Study of Poetry is written by -
- (a) Dr. Johnson
- (b) William Wordsworth
- (c) S. T. Coleridge
- (d) Matthew Arnold
- 268. Beowulf is a/an ^{xvii} [কারা তত্ত্বাবধায়ক (স্বরাষ্ট্র মন্ত্রণালয়ের অধীনে) নিয়োগ পরীক্ষা ২০১৩]
- (a) an epic poem
- (b) an elegy
- (c) a novel
- (d) a burlesque
- 269. As Act is to Drama; so Canto is to -
- (a) Epic
- (b) Tragedy
- (c) Comedy
- (d) Sonnet
- 270. What is a ballad?
- (a) a folk song
- (b) a song of hymn
- (c) a song of lamentation
- (d) a lyric song
- 271. What is a fable?
- (a) a story about animals
- (b) a story of human being
- (c) a story of chronology
- (d) a song of pleasure
- 272. What is a plot?
- (a) an idea about writing
- (b) the choice of words
- (c) choice of poem
- (d) arrangement of the incidents
- 273. The description of incidents in sequence is called -
- (a) archive
- (b) chronology
- (c) anthology
- (d) antenna
- 274. What is anthology?
- (a) collection of poems
- (b) collection of insects
- (c) fish cultivation
- (d) study of poetry



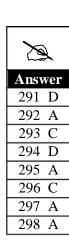
- 275. What do you mean by classicism?
- (a) reverence for beauty
- (b) reverence for English
- (c) reverence for Greek and Roman/Grecian works
- (d) none
- 276. What the term Allegory refers?
- (a) a kind short story
- (b) a long narrative poem
- (c) a figurative story
- (d) a comic play
- 277. What is an Epigram?
- (a) a terse and witty statement
- (b) a short fiction
- (c) a long poem
- (d) a wise man
- 278. Prologue refers -
- (a) conclusion of writing
- (b) end of the writing
- (c) preface to writing
- (d) praise song of a person
- 279. What is a myth?
- (a) a fictitious story
- (b) a real human story
- (c) an animal story
- (d) short poem
- 280. Which of the following is exceptional?
- (a) William Blake
- (b) William Wordsworth
- (c) William Butler Yeats
- (d) Thomas Gray
- 281. Which is called the Golden Period of English Literature?
- (a) Elizabethan Age
- (b) Victorian Age
- (c) Restoration Period
- (d) Augustan Age
- 282. Moby Dick is a -
- (a) Novel
- (b) Play
- (c) Theory
- (d) Short story



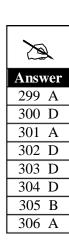
- 283. Antony and Cleopatra is a tragedy written by -
- (a) G.B. Shaw
- (b) Shakespeare
- (c) Marlowe
- (d) Ibsen
- 284. Earnest Hemingway got Nobel Prize for -
- (a) Old Man and the Sea
- (b) A Farewell to Arms
- (c) Man and Superman
- (d) Life of Pea (Ryan Martel)
- 285. Utopia is an ideal state written by -
- (a) Thomas Gray
- (b) William Shakespeare
- (c) George Bernard Shaw
- (d) Thomas More
- 286. What is the Masterpiece of T.S. Eliot?
- (a) The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock
- (b) Prelude
- (c) The Waste Land
- (d) Tradition and Ind. Talent
- 287. What is the real name of O'Henry?
- (a) Mary Anne Evan
- (b) George Gordon
- (c) Lord Byron
- (d) William Sydney Porter
- 288. Which one is not written by Robert Browning?
- a) Adonais
- b) The Patriot
- c) Andrea del Sarto
- d) My Last Duchess
- 289. Catharsis refers to the term -
- (a) characters in play
- (b) animals in play
- (c) sympathy to others
- (d) arouse of pity and fear
- 290. Synecdoche refers to the term -
- (a) a thing stands for whole thing
- (b) pity and fear
- (c) Self-contradictory speech
- (d) long speech



- 291. Asian Drama is written by -
- (a) G.B. Shaw
- (b) W.B Yeats
- (c) Albert Camue
- (d) Gunner Myrdal
- 292. Tin Drum is written by -
- (a) Gunter Grass
- (b) Gunner Myrdal
- (c) William Shakespeare
- (d) Wordsworth
- 293. Gunter Grass got Nobel Prize in xviii
- (a) 1998
- (b) 1997
- (c) 1999
- (d) 2000
- 294. Midnight Children is written by -
- (a) Arundhoti Roy
- (b) Anita Deshai
- (c) R.K. Narayan
- (d) Salman Rusdhi
- 295. Who is the Writer of The White Tiger?
- (a) Arobinda Adigha
- (b) Salman Rushdie
- (c) Arundhoti Roy
- (d) Kiron Dishai
- 296. "Poetry is spontaneous overflow of powerful Feeling" is said by -
- (a) S.T Coleridge
- (b) William Blake
- (c) William Wordsworth
- (d) Tomas Eliot
- 297. Lyrical Ballads is written by Wordsworth with the Collaboration of -
- (a) S.T Coleridge
- (b) William Blake
- (c) Dorothy
- (d) Alfred Tennyson
- 298. What is Sestet?
- (a) Last six line of a sonnet
- (b) First six lines of sonnet
- (c) first eight line of a sonnet
- (d) last eight lines



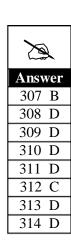
- 299. What is Diction?
- (a) the choice of words
- (b) the choice of characters
- (c) choice of incidents
- (d) choice of heroine
- 300. Lingua Franca refers to the term -
- (a) first language
- (b) second language
- (c) official language
- (d) common language
- 301. Firdausi was the poet of -
- (a) Persian
- (b) English
- (c) French
- (d) Italy
- 302. Oedipus is written by the dramatist -
- (a) Aristophanes
- (b) Homer
- (c) Ovid
- (d) Sophocles
- 303. A Machiavellian character is a -
- (a) honest person
- (b) wise person
- (c) romantic person
- (d) cunning person
- 304. Which philosopher got Nobel Prize in literature?
- (a) Winston Churchill
- (b) Abraham Lincoln
- (c) T.S. Eliot
- (d) Bertrand Russell
- 305. An Apology for Poetry is written by -
- (a) Mathew Arnold
- (b) Philip Sydney
- (c) Dr. Johnson
- (d) Tomas Stern Eliot
- 306. Francis Bacon was an English -
- (a) essayist
- (b) novelist
- (c) dramatist
- (d) poet



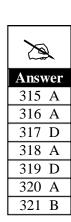
- 307. Shakespeare's 'Measure for Measure' is a -
- (a) tragedy
- (b) comedy
- (c) tragicomedy
- (d) sonnet
- 308. The Faire Queen is written by -
- (a) Tennyson
- (b) Chaucer
- (c) Browning
- (d) Spenser
- 309. 'Romeo and Juliet' is a/an [সহকারী পরিচালক (যুব উন্নয়ন অধিদপ্তর) পরীক্ষা ১৯৯৯]
- (a) comedy
- (b) melodrama
- (c) play
- (d) tragedy
- 310. Which of following is written by Shakespeare?
- (a) Dr. Faustus
- (b) Pilgrim's Progress
- (c) The preface to Fable
- (d) Twelfth Night
- 311. Jonne Donne is famous for his -
- (a) Sonnet
- (b) ballad
- (c) novel
- (d) metaphysical poem
- 312. In Poem Daffodils 'Sprightly Dance' means -
- (a) ugly dance
- (b) nonsense dance
- (c) lively dance
- (d) nice dance
- 313. Who is called the father of English Prose? [সহকারী কমান্ড্যান্ট (বাংলাদেশ রেলওয়ে) -

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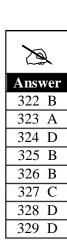
- (a) Henry Fielding
- (b) William Shakespeare
- (c) William Wordsworth
- (d) John Wycliffe
- 314. Which is the first successful English Novel? xix
- (a) Gorboduc
- (b) Pamela
- (c) Iliad



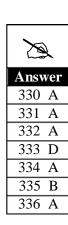
- (d) Robinson Crusoe
- 315. Tennyson's 'In Memoriam' is a /an -
- (a) elegy
- (b) sonnet
- (c) ballad
- (d) lyric
- 316. Who is the poet of the 'Victorian Age'? [১১তম বিসিএস]
- (a) Robert Browning
- (b) William Shakespeare
- (c) William Wordsworth
- (d) William Blake
- 317. The novel David Copperfield is written by [সমাজসেবা অফিসার (সমাজকল্যান মন্ত্রণালয়) নিয়োগ -২০১০]
- (a) Hardy
- (b) Shakespeare
- (c) Marlowe
- (d) Dickens
- 318. "The Trumpet of prophecy! O wind. If winter comes, can spring be far behind?" Who is the poet of these lines? [সাব-রেজিস্ট্রার পদে পরীক্ষা ২০১২]
- (a) P.B. Shelley
- (b) William Wordsworth
- (c) John Keats
- (d) Robert Browning
- 319. The youngest Nobel Prize winner in Literature is
- (a) George Orwell
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) Thomas Hardy
- (d) Rudyard Kipling
- 320. The Battle of Book is written by -
- (a) Jonathon Swift
- (b) William Thackeray
- (c) Thomas Stern Eliot
- (d) Daniel Dafoe
- 321. 'Mirabell', 'Millamant', 'Lady Wishfort' are the characters found in -
- (a) The Portrait of a Lady
- (b) The way of the World
- (c) All for Love
- (d) The Rape of the Lock



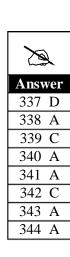
- 322. G. B. Shaw's The Doctor's Dilemma is a/an -
- (a) novel
- (b) drama
- (c) poem
- (d) short story
- 323. For which one Toni Morrison won Nobel Prize?
- (a) Beloved
- (b) Song of Solomon
- (c) The Bluest Eye
- (d) Tar Baby
- 324. Which of the following is a Victorian novelist?
- (a) Thomas Carlyle
- (b) Francis Bacon
- (c) John Done
- (d) Mathew Arnold
- 325. "She looked over his shoulder For vines and olive trees, Marble well-governed cities And ships upon untamed seas." these lines are the starting of?
- (a) Lullaby
- (b) The Shield Of Achilles
- (c) The Waste Land
- (d) Sailing to Byzantium
- 326. Oliver Goldsmith is a/an...novelist.
- (a) American
- (b) Irish
- (c) English
- (d) French
- 327. William Golding got Nobel Prize for his -
- (a) Merchant of Venice
- (b) Measure for Measure
- (c) The Lord of the Flies
- (d) Heart of the Matter
- 328. 'The Poetry Aenied' is written by -
- (a) Ovid
- (b) Dante
- (c) Boccaccio
- (d) Virgil
- 329. 'Death of A Salesman' is a Tragedy written by -
- (a) Edward Albee
- (b) Saul Bellow
- (c) Nathaniel Hawthorne



- (d) Arthur Miller
- 330. Who is the author of 'The Dark Room'?
- (a) R K Narayan
- (b) James Osborn
- (c) Toni Morrison
- (d) Saul Bellow
- 331. 'Things Fall Apart' is written by -
- (a) Chino Achebe
- (b) Nom Chomosky
- (c) Wole Soyanka
- (d) Doris Lessing
- 332. 'Waiting for Godot' is written by -
- (a) Samuel Beckett
- (b) Edward Albee
- (c) Samuel Butler
- (d) Samuel Heaney
- 333. Yann Martel is a/an...novelist.
- (a) English
- (b) American
- (c) Irish
- (d) Canadian
- 334. 'The Brief History of Time' is written by -
- (a) Stephen Hawking
- (b) Marx Plank
- (c) Yan Martel
- (d) Chinu Achebe
- 335. 'Living History' is written by -
- (a) Bill Clinton
- (b) Hilary Clinton
- (c) Achebe
- (d) Barak Obama
- 336. Naguib Mahfouz is a/an....writer who got Nobel Prize.
- (a) Egyptian
- (b) English
- (c) Irish
- (d) American

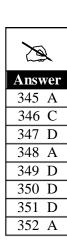


- 337. Which of the following writer rejected Nobel Prize?
- (a) Samuel Becket
- (b) Heaney
- (c) Leo Tolstoy
- (d) Ja Paul Satre
- 338. "East is East and West is West and never the twain shall meet" these lines were written by?
- (a) Rudyard Kipling
- (b) G. B. Shaw
- (c) Toni Morrison
- (d) Salmon Rushdie
- 339. "There are two tragedies in life one is not to get your heart's desire. The other is get it." these lines were written by?
- (a) Jean Paul Sartre
- (b) James Osborn
- (c) G. B. Shaw
- (d) H. G. Wells
- 340. Orhan Pamuk got Nobel Prize in -
- (a) 2006
- (b) 2007
- (c) 2008
- (d) 2000
- 341. Harold Pinter was a/an -
- (a) poet
- (b) novelist
- (c) absurd dramatist
- (d) Lyric poet
- 342. Riders to the Sea is written by an Irish dramatist -
- (a) G. B. Shaw
- (b) W.B Yeats
- (c) J.M Synge
- (d) Oliver Goldsmith
- 343. Which English poet was a Diplomat?
- (a) Geoffrey Chaucer
- (b) Shakespeare
- (c) Spenser
- (d) Dante
- 344. She is like a rose. It is an example of -
- (a) Simile
- (b) Metaphor
- (c) Synecdoche



(d) Metonymy

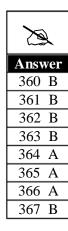
- 345. 'I Wandered Lonely as a Cloud' is a poem written by -
- (a) William Wordsworth
- (b) Blake
- (c) Lord Byron
- (d) Coleridge
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- (a) sense of beauty
- (b) sense of good and bad
- (c) amalgamation of present, past and future
- (d) aestheticism
- 347. What do you mean by Stanza?
- (a) a division of drama
- (b) a division of novel
- (c) a division of story
- (d) a subdivision of a poem
- 348. What is Stress?
- (a) emphasis on words
- (b) emphasis on the sentence
- (c) emphasis of literature
- (d) emphasis on the novel
- 349. What is Synecdoche?
- (a) a short stanza poem
- (b) a long narrative speech
- (c) a theory
- (d) a figure of speech stands for whole thing
- 350. What the term Trilogy refers?
- (a) three stanza poem
- (b) a three series of poems
- (c) a triangular drama
- (d) a series of three drama
- 351. What is the term Utopia? xx
- (a) a hat of a king
- (b) a day dreamer
- (c) a lotus eater
- (d) an ideal state which does not exist in real
- 352. What is Anatomy?
- (a) study of limbs of body
- (b) study of insects



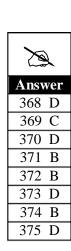
- (c) study of homo sapience
- (d) study of plants
- 353. The novel Sons and Lovers is written by -
- (a) D.H. Lawrence
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) Hardy
- (d) Joseph Conrad
- 354. 'A Tale of Two Cities' a novel written by [সহকারী প্রকৌশলী (এলজিইডি) ২০০৫]
- (a) Charles Dickens
- (b) Lawrence
- (c) Shakespeare
- (d) Hardy
- 355. We find Subjective Elements in?
- (a) Keats
- (b) Shelley
- (c) Wordsworth
- (d) All
- 356. 'Lyrical Ballad' was published in?
- (a) 1789
- (b) 1798
- (c) 1800
- (d) 1785
- 357. "If they be two, they are two so A stiff twin compasses are two; Thy soul, the fixed foot, makes no show To move, but doth, if th' other do" example of?
- (a) Conceit
- (b) Ode
- (c) Allusion
- (d) Simile
- 358. Who is Neo-Classic?
- (a) Tennyson
- (b) Alexander Pope
- (c) Robert Browning
- (d) a and c
- 359. Which one is Golden Age in English Literature?
- (a) Elizabethan
- (b) Classic
- (c) Modern
- (d) Jacobean

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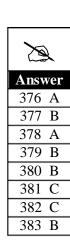
- 360. First English Tragedy?
- (a) Oedipus
- (b) Gorboduc
- (c) Aeschylus
- (d) None of these
- 361. Who is called 'The bard of Avon'?
- (a) Christopher Marlowe
- (b) William Shakespeare
- (c) John Milton
- (d) Homer
- 362. 'The pilgrim's Progress' is written by?
- (a) William Shakespeare
- (b) John Bunyan
- (c) John Dryden
- (d) John Locke
- 363. "We die As hours do, and dry Away Like to the summer's rain;" is stated by -
- (a) John keats
- (b) Wordsworth
- (c) Shelley
- (d) Milton
- 364. 'The Alchemist' is written by-
- (a) Ben Johnson
- (b) Samuel Johnson
- (c) Marlowe
- (d) None of them
- 365. Romantic Age starts from?
- (a) 1789
- (b) 1880
- (c) 1889
- (d) 1750
- 366. Who is contemporary of William Shakespeare?
- (a) Christopher Marlowe
- (b) Lord Tennyson
- (c) John Milton
- (d) All of them
- 367. The famous poem 'Ulysses' is written by?
- (a) Homer
- (b) Tennyson
- (c) Popem
- (d) Alex Haley



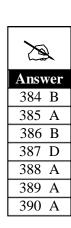
- 368. 'A poison Tree' is written by?
- (a) John Keats
- (b) Robert Herrick
- (c) William Wordsworth
- (d) William Blake
- 369. Who is English Poet?
- (a) Robert Frost
- (b) Emily Dickinson
- (c) John Keats
- (d) Toni Morrison
- 370. 'Pride and Prejudice' is written by?
- (a) Charles Lamb
- (b) Virginia Woolf
- (c) Emily Bronte
- (d) Jane Austen
- 371. 'Don Juan' is a/an?
- (a) Poem
- (b) epic
- (c) Ode
- (d) novel
- 372. Chaucer is the representative poet of [সাব-রেজিম্ট্রার পদে পরীক্ষা ২০১২]
- (a) 17th century
- (b) 14th century
- (c) 16^{th} century
- (d) 18th century
- 373. Feature of Romantic Period?
- (a) Subjectivity
- (b) Naturalism
- (c) Use of common language
- (d) all of these
- 374. Romantic Period starts from?
- (a) 1989
- (b) 1798
- (c) 1998
- (d) None of these
- 375. "Water, water, everywhere, And all the boards did shrink; Water, water, everywhere, Nor any drop to drink." from which poem?
- (a) Intimation of Immortality
- (b) Tintern Abbey
- (c) Don Juan



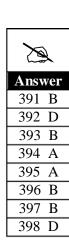
- (d) Rime of the Ancient Mariner
- 376. "Beauty is truth, truth is beauty" is stated by -
- (a) Keats
- (b) Shelley
- (c) Jane Austine
- (d) Charles Lamb
- 377. Who believes in Pantheism?
- (a) Lord Byron
- (b) William Wordsworth
- (c) John Keats
- (d) All of them
- 378. "If winter come can spring be far behind" quoted from?
- (a) Shelley
- (b) Wordsworth
- (c) Keats
- (d) Coleridge
- 379. 'Preface to Lyrical Ballad' is written by?
- (a) S.T. Coleridge
- (b) William Wordsworth
- (c) Both of them
- (d) None of them
- 380. "Ten Thousands saw I at a glance" example of?
- (a) Conceit
- (b) Hyperbole
- (c) Simile
- (d) Metaphor
- 381. Jane Austen was a/an?
- (a) Poet
- (b) Dramatist
- (c) Novelist
- (d) Essayist
- 382. "He smiles, he laughs and he roars" this quotation is an example of?
- (a) Conceit
- (b) Allusion
- (c) Climax
- (d) Satire
- 383. "Life's but a walking shadow, a poor player That starts and frets his hour upon the stage and then is heard no more" quoted from?
- (a) King Lear



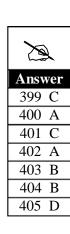
- (b) Macbeth
- (c) Dr. Faustus
- (d) Othello
- 384. 'Limerick' is one kind of?
- (a) Song
- (b) Narrative Poem
- (c) Satire
- (d) long poem
- 385. The most important element of a Tragedy?
- (a) Plot
- (b) Character
- (c) Spectacles
- (d) Diction
- 386. 'The Jew of Malta' is written by?
- (a) William Shakespeare
- (b) Christopher Marlowe
- (c) Ben Johnson
- (d) William Congreve
- 387. 'The Way of the World' is written by?
- (a) William Shakespeare
- (b) Christopher Marlowe
- (c) Ben Johnson
- (d) William Congreve
- 388. Who was the King or Queen in early Renaissance Period?
- (a) Elizabeth 1
- (b) Charles 2
- (c) Charles 1
- (d) Victoria 1
- 389. Renaissance Period was dominated by?
- (a) Tragedy
- (b) Comedy
- (c) Translation
- (d) Prose
- 390. "Hell hath no limits, nor is circumscribed In one self-place; for where we are is hell, And where hell is, there must we ever be." this famous quotation is cited from?
- (a) Dr. Faustus
- (b) Paradise Lost
- (c) Tempest
- (d) Macbeth



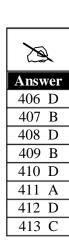
- 391. Who was often been called The Father of English Tragedy?
- (a) William Shakespeare
- (b) Christopher Marlowe
- (c) John Wycherley
- (d) John Lyly
- 392. "O, beware, my lord, of jealousy; It is the green-ey'd monster, which doth mock The meat it feeds on." quoted from?
- (a) Dr. Faustus
- (b) Macbeth
- (c) Hamlet
- (d) Othello
- 393. Who is the author of 'Interpretation of Drama'?
- (a) Saul Bellow
- (b) Sigmund Freud
- (c) Samuel Butler
- (d) Samuel Beckett
- 394. What is 1st decade part of modern age?
- (a) Edwardian
- (b) Georgian
- (c) Pope
- (d) Augusta
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- (c) Ben Johnson
- (d) William Congreve
- 397. Who is the author of 'Endgame'?
- (a) G. B. Shaw
- (b) Samuel Beckett
- (c) R. K. Narayan
- (d) Earnest Hemingway
- 398. 'The Duchess of Mulfi' is written by?
- (a) William Congreve
- (b) John Wycherley
- (c) Ben Johnson



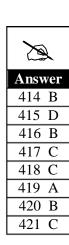
- (d) John Webster
- 399. Nobel Prize winner in literature Harold Pinter is from?
- (a) USA
- (b) Australia
- (c) UK
- (d) Canada
- 400. Ulysses is a....by James Joyce.
- (a) novel
- (b) poetry
- (c) verse
- (d) play
- 401. The novel 'The Jungle Book' is written by -
- (a) R. K. Narayan
- (b) Edin Blyton
- (c) Rudyard Kipling
- (d) H. G. Wells
- 402. "Fair is foul, and foul is fair"- quoted from?
- (a) Macbeth
- (b) As you like It
- (c) Tempest
- (d) Othello
- 403. "The fool doth think he is wise but the wise man knows himself to be a fool" this quotation is quoted from?
- (a) Hamlet
- (b) As you like It
- (c) Othello
- (d) Henry 8
- 404. Shakespeare was born in?
- (a) 1616
- (b) 1564
- (c) 1566
- (d) 1604
- 405. "Blow, blow thou winter wind Thou art not so unkind." Example of?
- (a) Simile
- (b) Conceit
- (c) Metaphor
- (d) Couplet



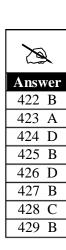
- 406. "All the world's a stage And all the men and women merely players" quoted from?
- (a) A Midsummer Night's Dream
- (b) Much Ado About Nothing
- (c) A Pericles Prince of Tyre
- (d) None of these
- 407. How many plays did Shakespeare compose?
- (a) 154
- (b) 38
- (c) 29
- (d) 26
- 408. Early plays of Shakespeare's are?
- (a) Tragedy
- (b) Tragicomedy
- (c) Romantic
- (d) Comedy
- 409. "not of an age, but for all time"- was told about Shakespeare by whom?
- (a) Marlowe
- (b) Ben Johnson
- (c) King Henry
- (d) John Milton
- 410. 'The Merchant of Venice' is a -
- (a) Comedy
- (b) Tragedy
- (c) Historical
- (d) Tragicomedy
- 411. Which one is a Tragedy?
- (a) Antony and Cleopatra
- (b) The Tempest
- (c) King John
- (d) Richard 2
- 412. Which quotation is by Shakespeare?
- (a) Cowards die many times before their deaths.
- (b) To err is human; to forgive is divine.
- (c) Brevity is the soul of wit.
- (d) a and c
- 413. Which one is not by Shakespeare?
- (a) Nature teaches beasts to know their friends.
- (b) True is it that we have seen betting days.
- (c) Knowledge is power.
- (d) None of these.



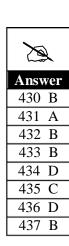
- 414. Shakespeare was died?
- (a) 1592
- (b) 1616
- (c) 1638
- (d) 1632
- 415. How many Sonnets did Shakespeare compose?
- (a) 151
- (b) 148
- (c) 128
- (d) 154
- 416. Character 'King Duncan' is found in -
- (a) Othello
- (b) Macbeth
- (c) Julius Caesar
- (d) Henry 8
- 417. Which one is 19th century English Literature from above?
- (a) 1601-1699
- (b) 1701-1799
- (c) 1801-1899
- (d) 1901-1999
- 418. Who is writer of the poem 'Sailing To Byzantium'?
- (a) James Joyece
- (b) D. H. Lawrence
- (c) William Butler Yeats
- (d) E. M. Forster
- 419. G. B. Shaw got Nobel Prize in 1925 for the book?
- (a) Arms and the man
- (b) The doctor's dilemma
- (c) Man of destiny
- (d) Philanderer
- 420. 'In Memoriam' is written by?
- (a) Charles Dickens
- (b) Tennyson
- (c) Robert Browning
- (d) Thackeray
- 421. Representative Poet of Victorian Age -
- (a) Charles Dickens
- (b) Robert Browning
- (c) Alfred Tennyson
- (d) None of them



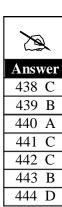
- 422. Literature of Victorian Age reflects?
- (a) Instability
- (b) Stability
- (c) Doubtless
- (d) Immorality
- 423. Who is the Creator of 'Dramatic Monologue'?
- (a) Robert browning
- (b) Alfred Tennyson
- (c) George Eliot
- (d) Thomas Hardy
- 424. Victorian Age starts from?
- (a) 1801
- (b) 1901
- (c) 1885
- (d) 1832
- 425. "Who trusted God was love indeed And love creation's final law" this famous quotation is taken from?
- (a) Ulysses
- (b) In Memoriam
- (c) Men and Women
- (d) Vanity Fair
- 426. 'Lord of the flies' is written by?
- (a) E. M. Forster
- (b) Robert Frost
- (c) George Orwell
- (d) William Golding
- 427. 'Animal Farm' is written by?
- (a) William Golding
- (b) George Orwell
- (c) Virginia Woolf
- (d) Joseph Conrad
- 428. 'Mrs. Dalloway' is written by?
- (a) Joseph Conrad
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) Virginia Woolf
- (d) Dylan Thomas
- 429. 'The Waste Land' is a/an?
- (a) Epic
- (b) Poem
- (c) Novel



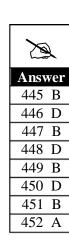
- (d) Drama
- 430. W. B. Yeats got Nobel Prize in?
- (a) 1913
- (b) 1923
- (c) 1937
- (d) 1919
- 431. W. B. Yeats was a/an?
- (a) Irish Poet
- (b) English Poet
- (c) Swedish Poet
- (d) None of them
- 432. The poem 'The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock' is composed by?
- (a) Dylan Thomas
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) W. B. Yeats
- (d) Ezra Pound
- 433. 'Paradise Lost' was written by [সাব-রেজিস্ট্রার পদে পরীক্ষা ২০১২]
- (a) Shakespeare
- (b) Milton
- (c) Coleridge
- (d) Keats
- 434. 'Essays of Elia' was written by -
- (a) William Hazlitt
- (b) Emily Dickinson
- (c) Emily Bronte
- (d) Charles Lamb
- 435. Who wrote the 'Birthday Party'?
- (a) James Joyce
- (b) G.B. Shaw
- (c) Harold Pinter
- (d) Jane Austen
- 436. Who is the author of 'Heaven and Earth'?
- (a) Lord Tennyson
- (b) William Wordsworth
- (c) John Keats
- (d) Lord Byron
- 437. Who wrote 'The Kite Runner'?
- (a) Selman Rushdie
- (b) Khalid Hussein



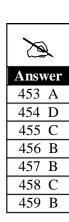
- (c) Orhan Pamuk
- (d) none
- 438. Which is the author of the drama 'Joan of Arc'?
- (a) Lord Byron
- (b) Charles Dickens
- (c) G. B. Shaw
- (d) P.B. Shelley
- 439. 'Gulliver's Travels' is a famous story by [সাব-রেজিস্ট্রার পদে পরীক্ষা ২০১২]
- (a) Pearl S. Buck
- (b) Jonathan Swift
- (c) Ben Johnson
- (d) D.H. Lawrence
- 440. Who is the author of the book 'The Sense of an Ending'?
- (a) Julian Barnes
- (b) Henry Fielding
- (c) Rudyard Kipling
- (d) Tomas Transtromer
- 441. 'My Experiments with Truth' is written by -
- (a) Winston Churchill
- (b) George Washington
- (c) Mahatma Gandhi
- (d) James Morris
- 442. Who is the author of the famous book 'The Judgment' is -
- (a) Anthony Mascarenhas
- (b) Amartya Sen
- (c) Kuldip Nayer
- (d) Nelson Mandela
- 443. Who is the author of 'Sherlock Holmes'?
- (a) John Gay
- (b) Sir Arthur Canon Doyle
- (c) Dylan Thomas
- (d) Somerset Maugham
- 444. 'A Doll's House' is written by -
- (a) Francis Bacon
- (b) E.M. Forster
- (c) R.K. Narayan
- (d) Henrick Ibsen



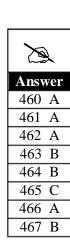
- 445. Who among the following is not a novelist?
- (a) Hardy
- (b) Blake
- (c) Joyce
- (d) Thackeray
- 446. The author of 'Songs of Innocence' and 'Songs of Experience' is -
- (a) John Lennon
- (b) Richard Mark
- (c) John Keats
- (d) William Blake
- 447. The poem 'Under the Greenwood Tree' is written by -
- (a) William Wordsworth
- (b) William Shakespeare
- (c) Robert Browning
- (d) Ralph Hodgson
- 448. 'The Rape of Bangladesh' is written by -
- (a) Viggo Olsen
- (b) Alamgir Kabir
- (c) Rehman Sobahan
- (d) Anthony Mascarenhas
- 449. 'The Origin of Species' is written by -
- (a) Newton
- (b) Charles Darwin
- (c) Galileo
- (d) Mary Curie
- 450. 'Wuthering Heights' is [সহকারী পরিচালক (মাদকদ্রব্য নিয়ন্ত্রণ অধিদপ্তর) ২০১৩]
- (a) a novel by Charlotte Bronte
- (b) a novel by Anne Bronte
- (c) a novel by Thomas Hardy
- (d) a novel by Emily Bronte
- 451. Kazi Nazrul Islam is the....poet of Bangladesh.
- (a) Romantic
- (b) national
- (c) love
- (d) mystic
- 452. Who is the author of the novel 'The Golden Age'?
- (a) Tahmima Anam
- (b) Pearl S. Bark
- (c) Virginia Woolf
- (d) Jane Austen



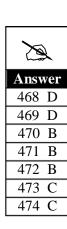
- 453. John Keats is a [কারা তত্ত্বাবধায়ক (স্বরাষ্ট্র মন্ত্রণালয়ের অধীনে) নিয়োগ পরীক্ষা ২০১৩]
- (a) poet
- (b) dramatist
- (c) artist
- (d) none
- 454. Any one of the following pairs are literary collaborators [১৭তম বিসিএস]
- (a) Eliot and Pound
- (b) Yeats and Eliot
- (c) Pope and Dryden
- (d) Shelley and Keats
- 455. One of the following was a Romantic Poet [সমাজসেবা অফিসার (সমাজকল্যান মন্ত্রণালয়) নিয়োগ -২০১০]
- (a) Tennyson
- (b) Arnold
- (c) Shelley
- (d) Browning
- 456. 'Ode to Autumn' is written by [থানা শিক্ষা অফিসার ২০১০]
- (a) Shelley
- (b) Keats
- (c) Byron
- (d) Blake
- 457. The 'Solitary Reaper' is a [সহকারী থানা শিক্ষা অফিসার ১৯৯৫]
- (a) heroic poem
- (b) romantic poem
- (c) classical poem
- (d) didactic poem
- 458. Browning was the composer of [১৭তম বিসিএস]
- (a) Two Voices
- (b) The Scholar Gypsy
- (c) Andrea Del Sarto
- (d) Adonais
- 459. Who is the father of English Novel? [সহকারী কমাল্ড্যান্ট (বাংলাদেশ রেলওয়ে) ২০০০]
- (a) Shakespeare
- (b) Henry Fielding
- (c) G.B. Shaw
- (d) R. L. Stevenson



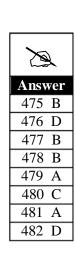
- 460. 'Twelfth Night' is a [কারা তত্ত্বাবধায়ক (স্বরাষ্ট্র মন্ত্রণালয়ের অধীনে) নিয়োগ পরীক্ষা ২০১৩]
- (a) A Comedy
- (b) an Elegy
- (c) a Novel
- (d) a Tragedy
- 461. 'Ophelia' is an important character in the Shakespeare play [কারা তত্ত্বাবধায়ক (স্বরাষ্ট্র মন্ত্রণালয়ের অধীনে) নিয়োগ পরীক্ষা ২০১০]
- (a) Hamlet
- (b) Macbeth
- (c) The Tempest
- (d) King Lear
- 462. 'Macbeth' is a কারা তত্ত্বাবধায়ক (স্বরাষ্ট্র মন্ত্রণালয়ের অধীনে) নিয়োগ পরীক্ষা ২০১০
- (a) play
- (b) novel
- (c) essay
- (d) poem
- 463. Who is the author of 'The Taming of the Shrew'? [সাব-রেজিস্ট্রার পদে পরীক্ষা ২০০১]
- (a) Shaw
- (b) Shakespeare
- (c) Ibsen
- (d) Jonson
- 464. What was the name of Isabella's brother in the 'Measure for Measure'?
- (a) Angelo
- (b) Cladio
- (c) Vincentio
- (d) Viola
- 465. Which character is from 'Romeo and Juliet' -
- (a) Brutus
- (b) Ophelia
- (c) Benvolio
- (d) Olivia
- 466. 'Adela' is a character from -
- (a) A Passage to India
- (b) Paradise Lost
- (c) Hamlet
- (d) Doctor Faustus
- 467. "Brevity is the soul of wit" the quotation is from -
- (a) Macbeth
- (b) Hamlet



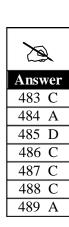
- (c) The Tempest
- (d) Julius Caesar
- 468. 'Appearances are often deceiving' is quoted by -
- (a) Plato
- (b) Aristotle
- (c) Hobbes
- (d) Aesop
- 469. The poet of 'Romantic Age' is সহকারী পরিচালক (পাসপোর্ট অ্যান্ড ইমিগ্রেশন) পরীক্ষা ২০০০]
- (a) George Orwell
- (b) D.H. Lawrence
- (c) John Milton
- (d) John Keats
- 470. The literary work of 'Kubla Khan' is [১৩তম বিসিএস]
- (a) a history by Vincent Smith
- (b) a verse by Coleridge
- (c) a drama by Oscar Wilde
- (d) a short story by Somerset Maugham
- 471. "Fools rush in where angels fear to tread" is a quotation by -
- (a) William Shakespeare
- (b) Alexander Pope
- (c) Gladstone
- (d) Aesop
- 472. A Protagonist is the....character in a play or novel.
- (a) villain
- (b) leading
- (c) important
- (d) comedy
- 473. The following characteristics are of Oscar Wild's EXCEPT:
- (a) a poet
- (b) a novelist
- (c) an essayist
- (d) a dramatist
- 474. Who used to write problem plays -
- (a) Bertrand Russell
- (b) W. B. Yeats
- (c) G. B. Shaw
- (d) James Joyce



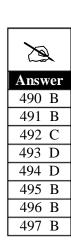
- 475. The novel 'The Big Four' is written by -
- (a) Virginia Wolf
- (b) Agatha Christie
- (c) Sigmund Freud
- (d) Joseph Conrad
- 476. Virginia Wolf: To the Light House::
- (a) James Joyce: Flush
- (b) T. S. Eliot: Road to Freedom(c) Bertrand Russel: Ash Wednesday
- (d) William Golding: Lord of the Flies
- 477. Modern age is an age of -
- (a) Pessimism and Cynicism
- (b) Conflicts and Controversies
- (c) Subjectivity
- (d) All of the above
- 478. Poet Alexander Pope's famous work [সহকারী পরিচালক (তথ্য মন্ত্রণালয়) ২০০৩]
- (a) Spectator
- (b) The Rape of the Lock
- (c) The Deserted Village
- (d) Man Was Made to Mourn
- 479. Edmund Spenser is a [কারা তত্ত্বাবধায়ক (স্বরাষ্ট্র মন্ত্রণালয়ের অধীনে) নিয়োগ পরীক্ষা ২০১৩]
- (a) poet
- (b) dramatist
- (c) artist
- (d) scientist
- 480. Eric Hugh Blair is known as -
- (a) E.M. Forster
- (b) T.S. Eliot
- (c) George Orwell
- (d) William Golding
- 481. Which of the following is a 'comedy' written by Shakespeare? [সহকারী পরিচালক (শ্রম মন্ত্রণালয়) ২০০৩]
- (a) As You Like It
- (b) King Lear
- (c) Macbeth
- (d) Hamlet
- 482. Shakespeare wrote brilliant [উপজেলা নির্বাচন অফিসার ২০০৪]
- (a) poems
- (b) essays



- (c) novels
- (d) dramas
- 483. Find the Odd man out?
- (a) Ulysses: James Joyce
- (b) A Full Moon in March: W. B. Yeats
- (c) Drama of Ideas: T. S. Eliot
- (d) Riders to the Sea: John Millington Synge
- 484. James Joyce's narrative technique is known as -
- (a) stream of consciousness
- (b) psycho-analysis
- (c) Objective Co-relative
- (d) Symbolism and Mysticism
- 485. Who is of the following is not a Nobel Laureate?
- (a) W. B. Yeats
- (b) T. S. Eliot
- (c) William Golding
- (d) E. M. Forster
- 486. The characteristics of the poem of William Wordsworth are EXEPT:
- (a) Nature
- (b) glorification of childhood
- (c) Hope and regeneration
- (d) all of them
- 487. P. B. Shelly wrote his elegy named 'Adonais' mourning over whose death.
- (a) Wordsworth
- (b) Jane Austen
- (c) John Keats
- (d) Walter Scott
- 488. The Novel 'Ivanhoe' is written by -
- (a) Charles Lambs
- (b) John Keats
- (c) Sir Walter Scott
- (d) Jane Austen
- 489. Which of the following is written by P. B. Shelly?
- (a) To a skylark
- (b) The Daffodils
- (c) Pride and Prejudice
- (d) Culture and Anarchy



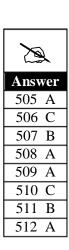
- 490. John Keats died of [সহকারী পরিচালক (মাদকদ্রব্য নিয়ন্ত্রণ অধিদপ্তর) ১৯৯৯]
- (a) accident
- (b) tuberculosis
- (c) drowned in the sea
- (d) plane crash
- 491. Find the Odd man out?
- (a) Ulysses
- (b) The Falcon
- (c) The Virginians
- (d) On Liberty
- 492. Which one is the Tennyson's First work?
- (a) Dora
- (b) Ulysses
- (c) Two Brothers
- (d) In Memorium
- 493. Who is called the 'Rebel Poet'?
- (a) P. B. Shelly
- (b) John Keats
- (c) S. T. Coleridge
- (d) Lord Byron
- 494. Who is known as the 'Father of Modern English Criticism'.
- (a) Edmund Walter
- (b) John Locke
- (c) Thomas Hobbes
- (d) John Dryden
- 495. 'The Medal' by John Dryden is a/an -
- (a) play
- (b) satire
- (c) prose
- (d) translation
- 496. Samson Agonists: Play ::
- (a) The Conquest of Granada: Satire
- (b) The Rivals : Play
- (c) Clarissa: Play
- (d) Paradise Regained: Play
- 497. Who is the father of English Novel?
- (a) Shakespeare
- (b) Henry Fielding
- (c) G. B. Shaw
- (d) Dr. Samuel Johnson



- 498. "The music in my heart I bore, Long after it was heard no more." These lines are from the poem
- [সাব-রেজিস্ট্রার পদে পরীক্ষা ২০১২]
- (a) The Solitary Reaper by Wordsworth
- (b) Ode to a Nightmare by John Keats
- (c) To a lady with a guitar by P.B. Shelley
- (d) Elegy written in a country churchyard by Thomas Gray
- 499. Julius Caesar was the ruler of Rome about [২৮তম বিসিএস]
- (a) 1000 years ago
- (b) 1500 years ago
- (c) 2000 years ago
- (d) 3000 years ago
- 500. The first theatre in England was established in -
- (a) 1556
- (b) 1566
- (c) 1576
- (d) 1586
- 501. Find the Odd man out?
- (a) Tom Jones: Henry Fielding
- (b) Roxana: Daniel Defoe
- (c) The Good-nature man: Oliver Goldsmith
- (d) All for Love: John Milton
- 502. Who wrote 'Preface to Shakespeare'?
- (a) Dr. Samuel Johnson
- (b) Henry Fielding
- (c) Daniel Defoe
- (d) Thomas Hobbes
- 503. Who is called the 'Mock heroic poet'?
- (a) Edmund Walter
- (b) Jonathan Swift
- (c) Alexander Pope
- (d) Dr. Samuel Johnson
- 504. 'The Age of Chaucer' ranges from -
- (a) 1340-1385
- (b) 1240-1300
- (c) 1340-1400
- (d) 1340-1399

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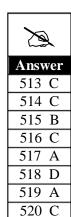
- 505. In which age is 'The Puritan Period' included?
- (a) The Renaissance
- (b) The Non-classical
- (c) The Romantic
- (d) The Modern
- 506. Age of Johnson is also known as -
- (a) Age of Criticism
- (b) Age of Love
- (c) Age of Sensibility
- (d) Age of Pope
- 507. What type of work 'Tottle's Miscellany' is?
- (a) Epic
- (b) Sonnet
- (c) Drama
- (d) Comedy
- 508. Find the Odd man out?
- (a) Iliad: Novel
- (b) The Tempest : Comedy
- (c) The Temple: Poem
- (d) The Dunciad: Poem
- 509. 'The Rape of the Lock' is a/an -
- (a) Epic
- (b) Comedy
- (c) Poem
- (d) Novel
- 510. The novel 'Talisman' is written by -
- (a) Jane Austen
- (b) Charles Dickens
- (c) Sir Walter Scott
- (d) Oliver Goldsmith
- 511. 'Delusion and Dream' is by -
- (a) H.G. Wells
- (b) Sigmund Freud
- (c) G.B. Shaw
- (d) James Osborn
- 512. James Joyce's narrative technique is known as -
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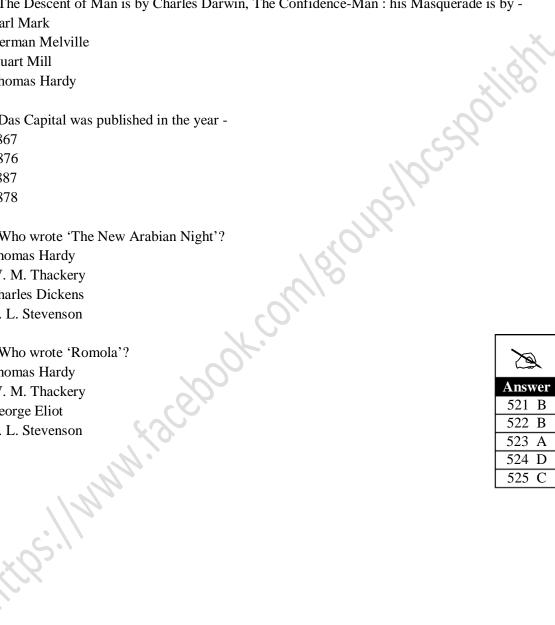
- 513. The novel 'The Jungle Book' is written by -
- (a) Toni Morrison
- (b) Earnest Hemingway
- (c) Rudyard Kipling
- (d) Jean Paul Sartre
- 514. 'Exiles' is a -
- (a) Short Story
- (b) Novel
- (c) Play
- (d) Poem
- 515. Charles Dickens is not the novelist for one of the following [সহকারী কমান্ড্যান্ট (বাংলাদেশ

রেলওয়ে) - ২০০৩]

- (a) A Tale of Two Cities
- (b) Treasure Island
- (c) David Copperfield
- (d) Great Expectations
- 516. Tom Jones by Henry Fielding was first published in [১৩০ম বিসিএস]
- (a) the 1st half of 19th Century
- (b) the 2nd half of 19th Century
- (c) the 1st half of 18th Century
- (d) the 2nd half of 18th Century
- 517. Who wrote 'The Adventures of Augie March'?
- (a) Saul Bellow
- (b) James Osborn
- (c) Toni Morrison
- (d) Jean Paul Sartre
- 518. Find the Odd one.
- (a) G. B. Shaw: Man and Superman
- (b) Rudyard Kipling: Kim
- (c) H. G. Wells: The Time Machine
- (d) Toni Morrison: A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man
- 519. Who is known for his theory of psycho-analysis?
- (a) Sigmund Freud
- (b) James Joyce
- (c) Arthur Miller
- (d) James Osborn
- 520. Find the Odd One?
- (a) H. G. Wells: Great science fiction writer
- (b) G. B. Shaw: great modern dramatist
- (c) Samuel Beckett: great Irish novelist



- (d) Arthur Miller: Known playwright
- 521. 'On Liberty' is by -
- (a) Charles Darwin
- (b) John Mill
- (c) Karl Mark
- (d) Thomas Hardy
- 522. The Descent of Man is by Charles Darwin, The Confidence-Man: his Masquerade is by -
- (a) Karl Mark
- (b) Herman Melville
- (c) Stuart Mill
- (d) Thomas Hardy
- 523. Das Capital was published in the year -
- (a) 1867
- (b) 1876
- (c) 1887
- (d) 1878
- 524. Who wrote 'The New Arabian Night'?
- (a) Thomas Hardy
- (b) W. M. Thackery
- (c) Charles Dickens
- (d) R. L. Stevenson
- 525. Who wrote 'Romola'?
- (a) Thomas Hardy
- (b) W. M. Thackery
- (c) George Eliot
- (d) R. L. Stevenson



Endnotes

- i) First line of The Waste land by T. S. Eliot.
- ii) The plot is in Congo.
- iii) Ulysses is famous for stream of consciousness. Stream of consciousness is a writing technique where we find flow of our smallest imagination turns a riots of picturesque scenes, what is enormously used is this novel
- iv) By birth he was an Irish but wrote in English and French. So answer depends on the question.
- v) Associated with anti-climax.
- vi) Opinion can be different man to man for this theoretical matter.
- vii) It can be offensive also.
- viii) A writing of praising distinguished persons who have recently died.
- ix) These two terms are different. The given answer is applicable to Catharsis.
- x) Novella is longer than a short story but shorter than a novel.
- xi) Mock Epic refers to Parody of epic.
- xii) Quinzaine is a fifteen line stanza in fifteen syllables.
- xiii) God appears in play.
- xiv) Hyperbole means praise excessively.
- xv) Iambic pentameter contains five metres in a line. One metre contains two syllables.
- xvi) One syllable is called Foot.
- xvii) Beowulf is supposed to be first English Epic.
- xviii) Günter Grass, in full Günter Wilhelm Grass (born October 16, 1927, Danzig [now Gdańsk, Poland] died April 13, 2015, Lübeck, Germany), German poet, novelist, playwright, sculptor, and printmaker who, with his extraordinary first novel Die Blechtrommel (1959; The Tin Drum), became the literary spokesman for the German generation that grew up in the Nazi era and survived the war. In 1999, he was awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature. Notable works of Gunter grass The Tin Drum (1959) Cat and Mouse (1961) Dog Years (1963) Crabwalk (2002) What Must Be Said (2012).
- xix) Robinson Crusoe was first published in 1719 and that of Pamela in 1747.
- xx) Plato's theory was about to make utopia.

Some Literary Works of Modern Age

Works	Authors
Waiting For Godot (Absurd Drama), Murphy, Molloy	Samuel Beckett
Dubliners, Finnegans Wake, Ulysses	James Joyce
Naked Lunch	William S. Burroughs
Howl (Epic poem)	Allen Ginsberg
One Hundred Years Of Solitude	Gabriel Garcia Marquez
The birthday Party, The Homecoming	Harold Pinter
Omeros	Derek Walcott
The Bluest Eye, Songs of Solomon	Toni Morrison
A personal matter, The Silent Cry	Kenzaburo Oe
The sound and the fury, As I lay dying	William Falkner
The Hairy Ape, Now I ask you, Bread and Butter	Eugene O'Neill
Life and death are wearing me out	Mo Yan
Dark and light, The White Castle, The Black Book	Orhan Pamuk
The Tin Drum, Can and Mouse, What must be said	Gunter Grass
The Adventures of Augie March, Seize the day	Saul Bellow
Memorial de Isle Negra, Full Woman, Flesly Apple, Hot Moon,	Pablo Neruda
Twenty Love poems and songs of Despair, Words End	
Life of Pie	Yann Martel
Animal Farm	George Orwell
Jungle Book	Rudyard Kipling
The Lowland	Jhumpa Lahidi
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Some Resemblance in English Literature

Ulysses (Novel): James Joyece

Ulysses (Poem): Lord Alfred Tennyson

The death of the salesman (Play): Arthur Miller The death of the hired man (Poem): Robert Frost

Daffodils (Poem) : William Wordsworth To Daffodils (Poem) : Robert Herrick

Caesar and Cleopatra (Play) : George Bernard Shaw Antony and Cleopatra (Tragedy) : William Shakespeare

Prometheus Unbound (Play) : Greek Playwright Aeschylus Prometheus Unbound (Play) : Romantic Poet P.B. Shelley

Under the Greenwood Tree (Novel): Thomas Hardy

Under the Greenwood Tree (A poem found in the Dialogue of "As You Like It"): William

Shakespeare

Troilus and Creseyde (Poem) : Geoffrey Chaucer Troilus and Cressida (Tragedy) : William Shakespeare

The Old Man and the Sea (Novel): Earnest Hemingway

The Old Man at the Zoo (Novel): Angus Wilson

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